

## County Correspondence

## ITHACA

Wm. McFarland was in St. Louis on business Monday.

Porter Gilio of Ashley transacted business here Thursday.

Miss Margaret Lassen spent Sunday in Alma with Margaret Fredrick.

I. C. Moody of Forest Hill was in Ithaca Monday on business.

Miss Florence Wood spent the week-end in Alma with her parents.

L. E. Knickerbocker and wife motored to Alma Wednesday.

C. W. Chadwick of Alma was in Ithaca Wednesday on business.

W. A. Bahlke of Alma spent Friday in Ithaca.

George Eggleston of Grand Rapids transacted business here last week.

Ellis Flegel, who has been confined to the house for some time with mumps, is recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Russell are the parents of a baby girl, born Friday, March 26th.

Mrs. Lulu Creaser and sister and Mrs. Winnie Smith of Middleton motored to Ithaca Friday.

Mrs. Mae Wheeler Wasson, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at her home in Newark, is recovering.

Mrs. Steven Fairbank entertained the Pedro club last Friday evening, having four tables. Prizes were received by J. L. Hass, Mrs. Ralph Pettit and J. Feichtenbier. A delightful repast was served.

J. L. Cornwell of Ashley transacted business here Monday.

Miss Flossa Beecher of Mt. Pleasant is at home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ransom Fraker of Alma were Ithaca visitors Friday.

Mrs. J. C. Gardner of Dexter, who is spending a few weeks in Alma, transacted business in Ithaca Thursday.

Wilbur Carpenter was in Mt. Pleasant Tuesday.

Mrs. Thos. Beattie of Pompeii was in Ithaca on business Tuesday.

Paul Kernen was in Lansing Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Irving has been very ill during the past week.

Miss Agnes Yutzey is spending the week at Grayling with her sister, Bess, who will return with her, and spend a few days in Ithaca.

Miss Electa Seipp of Albion is spending the Easter vacation with her father, Rev. Carl Seipp, at North Star.

Ed Schlarf of Eureka spent Tuesday at Ithaca on business.

Mrs. J. P. Nicholson is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Matthews, in Riverdale.

Mrs. C. E. Burt and Mrs. E. R. Van Duzer spent Friday in Alma.

Mrs. F. M. Bailey has returned from a short visit with Illinois relatives, and was accompanied home by her niece.

Mrs. Mabel Smith of Holland is spending the spring vacation with her mother, Mrs. Carrie Welch.

Sheriff Bradford was in Saginaw last week on business.

Henry Read has the material on the ground for building a new home on South Jefferson street.

Several Ithaca ladies attended the Tabernacle meeting at Alma Friday afternoon last—it being a ladies' meeting.

Mrs. C. J. Brown of Alma transacted business in Ithaca Wednesday.

Charles Hamilton, who spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Hamilton, has returned to college in Chicago.

Mrs. Pierce, who has spent several weeks with her son, George Lamphere, has returned to Marshall.

Joseph Seaver has returned from several weeks' stay in Hill City.

Miss Linda Dickerson entertained her sister from Alma Friday.

Mrs. Ed. Hamilton and daughter, Charlotte, are visiting with Grand Rapids relatives.

Judge K. S. Seal held court in Stanton Friday last.

J. T. Mathews transacted business in Ashley Thursday.

Mrs. Smith of Middleton spent the week-end with her son, J. H. Smith, in Ithaca.

Miss Helen Chambers of Mt. Pleasant is spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Chambers.

Mrs. A. E. Barstow visited in Alma Friday.

Miss Edna Pino of Alma and Otto Pino of the M. A. C. visited with their parents in Ithaca this week.

## VESTABURG

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lewis entertained on Wednesday and Thursday the latter's brother of Ashley and sister of Saginaw.

Floyd Vanguilder of Detroit came Thursday to visit his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lewis.

J. E. Skidmore has purchased the B. M. Winchell residence.

B. M. Winchell went to Clare Friday to visit his son, L. D. Winchell and wife.

Mrs. Jessie Brooks, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Alice Caris, has returned to her home near Clare.

Everyone is invited to attend the last Public Sale to be held at Vestaburg on Saturday, April 10th.

Albert Schnepf of near Riverdale called on his cousin, Mrs. Wm. Caris, Monday.

P. Briton of near Riverdale was a business caller Monday.

E. Manley is sawing lath and crates—turns out whiffletrees, neck yokes, canthooks, stalks, etc.

Mrs. William Hill, a former resident of this place, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Miner of Riverdale, March 19, 1915, aged 42 years 2 months and 19 days. Burial took place in the Riverdale cemetery Sunday, March 21.

Mrs. Edna Nickerson will entertain the Current Topic club Friday afternoon, April 9.

Frank Marlin of Lansing came Saturday evening to visit his uncle, David Marlin, Sr., and other relatives.

Frank Murphy has been engaged as superintendent of the high school and George Scranton as instructor of the grammar room for next term.

Kie Platt and Fred Cornell attended the horse show in Alma Saturday.

C. C. Messenger of Stanton was a business caller Saturday.

Casper Sutton and family of Riverdale were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. B. Waterbury.

James Brown, Sr., has gone near Middleton to visit his daughter, Mrs. Charles Bentley.

James Brown, Jr., left for Canada Monday evening.

Malcolm Walker of Riverdale is visiting his grandparents, Mrs. M. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Priest.

Mrs. J. Favorite entertained her sister and father, of Winn Wednesday.

Frank Harrington came Tuesday morning to spend some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Harrington.

Mr. and Mrs. George Harvey of Chicago who have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Ellen Nevills, returned to their home Thursday.

Mrs. J. Davenport and son of Riverdale spent Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Manley.

Charles Rhoades returned from Cheaning Saturday evening.

Everyone is invited to attend the exercises to be given at the Church of Christ Easter Sunday evening, April 4th.

Mrs. J. Gear spent the week-end in Ithaca.

Hugh Walker came from Hemlock Tuesday to visit his mother, Mrs. M. Walker.

George Cox has returned to his home in Carp Lake.

Mrs. Lizzie Bentley has returned to her home near Middleton. Her mother, Mrs. Mary Brown, is still confined to her home, but is considerably improved.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Skidmore returned from Illinois to attend the funeral of Mrs. Sarah Freeman.

Glenn Person is able to attend school after a week's illness.

Mrs. A. Manley and children, who have been visiting relatives near McBride, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. F. McDole entertained the Current Topic club Friday afternoon and a very pleasant time is reported.

Those reported on the sick list last week are gaining.

## SEVILLE CENTER

Mrs. C. C. Wonders entertained her sister, Mrs. L. F. Harter of Ashley last week.

Mrs. Delbert Crum of Riverdale was the guest of Mrs. F. E. French Tuesday.

Grandpa Miller visited Mr. and Mrs. John Hrapka Monday.

Miss Anna Covell, teacher at the Gee school, has been enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hrapka visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wonders Sunday.

Miss Ethel Miller has gone to Winn to spend a fortnight with her aunt, Mrs. W. C. Perkins.

Quite a number from here attended the horse show at Alma Saturday.

Miss Anna Mallory visited Mrs. F. E. French Saturday afternoon.

Miss Zelma Miller went Friday afternoon to visit her friend, Mrs. Howard Johnson of near Forest Hill. She returned Sunday.

The Misses Ruth Shong and Pauline Horton attended the Oratorical contest at Alma Monday afternoon. Miss Horton's sister Esther was one of the contestants.

The Helping Hand club met with Miss Clarence Rowley Wednesday.

Gene Crum will work for Dennis Welch this summer.

The Seville Center Aid society met with Mrs. H. M. Miller March 17th. Twenty-six were present and a fine lot of work was accomplished. Three new members were added to the list, Mrs. Louis Gray and Mrs. Barkey of Isabella county were present. Next session will be with Mrs. S. B. Abbott.

A. E. Miller was an Alma business caller Tuesday.

C. B. Wiltshire transacted business in Elwell Saturday.

Miss Ruth Shong visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Shong of Alma Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. C. B. Wiltshire called on her daughter Mary of Elwell Saturday.

Mrs. Walter McMurphy of Lakeview is visiting her mother, Mrs. Wm. Humphrey.

Shirley Wiltshire worked for his uncle, Fred Greenman of Beaver Creek last week. Mr. Greenman was sick with the grippe.

## ELWELL

"Ten Nights in a Bar Room," temperance drama in five acts, will be presented at the hall, April 10th. The cast of characters will be:

Sample Switchet—Forest La Paugh.

Simon Slade—I. P. Taylor.

Joe Morgan—DeWitt Vot.

Frank Slade—Choral Romaine.

Harvey Green—Willis LaPaugh.

Mr. Romine—Glen Langworthy.

Willie Hammond—Glen Comter.

Mrs. Morgan—Mrs. C. P. Taylor.

Mary Morgan—Little Agatha Romaine.

Mehitable Cartwright—Miss Nora Samaine.

Quite a number from Elwell attended church in Riverdale Sunday evening.

Charley Ray of Clarksburg was calling on friends in and around Elwell Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. Erwin of Alma was called to Elwell Monday.

A pedro party will be held at the hall this Saturday evening. All are invited.

Mrs. Lon Havens is resting as well as could be expected from her recent operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Taylor were the guests of friends in Alma Friday.

Theo. Greenhoe and Mrs. Charlie Greenhoe transacted business in Alma Saturday.

Dr. Lamb was called Thursday to attend the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Bloom.

N. K. Wright and George Newman were in Alma Saturday.

Lovers of fishing should be at the hall Saturday evening.

Will Ball attended the horse show in Alma Saturday.

Ted Crum was a business caller in Alma Saturday.

P. C. Collister was a caller in Alma Saturday.

The funeral of little Delois Apple daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Apple, was held at the family residence last Saturday, Rev. Baker officiating.

The interment took place at the French cemetery. The little baby lived but two weeks, pneumonia causing her death. Mr. and Mrs. Apple have the sympathy of the entire community.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Medler transacted business in Riverdale Thursday.

Arthur Hillsinger has been sick for the past three weeks.

Gus Harrington of Riverdale transacted business in Elwell Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hillsinger were in Alma last week Thursday.

Orin Lawrence visited in Owosso over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Layman visited Mrs. Layman's sister, Mrs. Ted Lester, at Brant over Sunday.

The Lady Rebekahs will give an Easter supper at the hall Saturday evening April 3rd. All are invited.

Cards, quilt drawing and fortune telling will be the entertainment.

Mrs. Hiram Hillsinger is very ill but little hopes of her recovery.

I. P. Taylor transacted business in Alma Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week.

Lehrl and Duvel Apple were in Riverdale Sunday afternoon.

See the Holy City pantomime by Miss Nora Samaine at the hall April 10th.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Gee spent Saturday in Alma.

Miss Nee left for Grand Rapids on Monday morning.

Nelson Long is baling hay for Floyd Nelson.

Mr. John Hillsinger of Riverdale attended church in Elwell Sunday evening.

Glen Langworthy was a caller in Elm Hall Sunday.

Miss Ethel Miller is visiting in Winn.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Miller of Sumner transacted business in Elwell Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Osborn transacted business in Alma Saturday.

## ELM HALL

Marshall Smith and daughter, Pearl spent Wednesday with his daughter, Mrs. Percy Tissue, of Crystal.

Mrs. Florence Ily and son Randolph of Freeland spent Thursday and Friday with O. H. Sly and wife.

Mr. Jackson spent Sunday with his parents in Rosebush.

Miss Von Thurn visited her parents in St. Louis over Sunday.

Fred Schaeffer was in Alma Friday afternoon on business.

Roy Wilkinson was the guest of his mother in Greenville over Sunday.

Mrs. Winters, who has been very sick, is gaining.

Wm. Lovell is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Winnie Story of Alma.

Mrs. Sarah Gifford was called to Breckenridge Friday by the severe sickness of her little grandson, Bernard Howe.

Mrs. Morton, who has been very sick, is gaining.

Mesdames Pratt, Butcher, Blair and Dailey spent Sunday in Alma and attended the meetings in the Tabernacle.

Mrs. Anna Elliott spent Friday in Alma with her daughter, Leta.

Miss Greta Hoxie is home from Ypsilanti for a week's vacation.

Miss Cecil Ward is home from Pompeii for a week's vacation.

## DAVIS SCHOOL DISTRICT

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Husted are the proud parents of an eight-pound boy.

J. C. Yerian of Durand is visiting friends and relatives for a few days.

Mrs. M. Baker of Lansing came on Monday for a several days' visit at the home of her brother, S. Witherell.

Lee, Lou and Mary Beard visited over Sunday with Will Beard and wife of Emerson.

Iris M. Felch returned Monday from a two weeks' stay in Grand Rapids.



## To-morrow—the First Advance Spring Showing of Women's Wooltex Tailored Suits and Coats

*Ready for Women who like to be First to Wear the New Fashions*

**T**O-MORROW we will present the most interesting advance collection of women's Wooltex tailored suits and coats that we have ever shown.

We have planned this display to meet the desires of the many fashionable women who are always eager to take advantage of the opportunity to secure the handsome spring styles at the first moment when winter apparel can be set aside.

Every garment in the collection has been selected for its graceful style; its refinement; the beauty of its fabric and the superlative manner in which it is made.

The new suits have many charming original features. The models this season are more conservative because the war abroad has subdued fashions everywhere. The military influence is apparent in some of them. Never in the past have the lines of the garments shown greater art on the part of the designers.

Wooltex garments are absolutely correct in style, but no extreme effects are presented. The fabrics are unusually beautiful and there is a wide representation of the new sand and putty colorings, with new blues and other desirable dark colorings. The simplicity of the models gives exceptional effectiveness to the superb tailoring that is a characteristic of Wooltex suits and coats.

**Note the Garments Illustrated**

The group of garments illustrated gives an excellent representation of the new styles that are shown to-morrow.

The collars are a distinct feature of the present season's styles. Rolling collars are the rule, some of them adapted from the coats of military officers; some in quite definite Robespierre style. Some show bands in bright colorings under the roll of the collar. Practically all of the coats have detachable pique or lingerie collars laid over the cloth collars.

Most of the coats have set-in sleeves. The garments are tailored with more seams than last year and show graceful flares at the bottom of the coats, produced by means of the in-set godets at the sides of the coats below the waist-line, which give the extra width and also assure the smart wing-like flare.

**Pleats and Belts on Coats**

Many of the coats are pleated in soft folds frequently held down by belts or partial belt effect. Some of the coats have slightly raised waist-lines; on others the line is carried far below the waist.

Many charming pocket effects are produced in both coats and skirts. This is a feature seen in the latest suits brought from Paris. The pockets are useful as well as decorative.

**Many Artistic Styles in both Suits and Coats at**

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We cordially invite all women interested in spring apparel and especially those who know the superior qualities of Wooltex garments to visit our store to-morrow and during the coming week to view this charming collection.




# D. W. ROBINSON

## The Store That Sells Wooltex

# COHENS' FIRE SALE

Removed to Alma Record Building on Superior St.

**WATCH FOR BIG OPENING SALE J. COHEN & BRO.**

**ALMA, MICHIGAN**

Mrs. Ralston, formerly of this vicinity, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joe Sartor in New Haven township, after a short illness with pneumonia.

A. Church and Ed. Struble both have new five-passenger Ford automobiles.

**BAPTIST CHURCH.**

J. W. Priest, Pastor. Residence, 802 Gratiot avenue.

Sunday morning service at 10 o'clock.

Sermon, "The Power of the Resurrection."

Special Easter music.

Sunday school, 11:30.

B. Y. P. U. meeting at 6:30. Topic, "Conquering Discouragement."

Leader—Miss Anna Angell.

Evening service at 7:30.

Sermon, "The Easter Message."

Thursday night prayer meeting at 7:30.

All are cordially invited to these services.

**WEST ARCADE**

It was supposed that the Donovans were living on the Medlar place and it was so reported in last week's Record, but it has since been learned that they live on the Post farm in

Pine River. Mr. Kanitz lives on the Medlar farm. Mrs. Kanitz is a daughter of the Donovans.

Mrs. Jennie Reid made very short visits among her old neighbors and friends. She returns to Montana this week.

The young people in the Sumner district organized a Christian Endeavor society last Thursday night at Mr. Harris' home.

Mrs. Hira Metcalf is visiting her mother in Eaton county.

Clyde Taylor of Crystal visited Hal Northrup and friends in Elwell last week.

The 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Northrup has been

suffering the past week with asthma.

Frank Church expects to move on to the Fred Abbott farm very soon. It is not decided who will occupy their present home.

Bert Bamborough is said to be gaining and is anxious to be home.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during our bereavement. Also for the beautiful floral offerings.

**MRS. G. W. BAILEY AND FAMILY.**